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DIELECTRIC THICKNESS AND PARASITIC CAPACITANCE

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312

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Sir:

These amendment and remarks are filed in response to the Notice of Allowance dated May 4, 2004, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.312.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings:

Reference numbers 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, and 60 in Figures 8 and 9 have been changed to 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, and 160, respectively. A replacement drawing sheet containing amended Figures 8 and 9 is attached on a separate sheet.